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# Joliet Road closing at rail crossing in Woodridge

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that repairs to the BNSF Railroad crossing on Joliet Road, just east of International Boulevard, in Woodridge, will require a full closure beginning, weather permitting, 9 a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, Nov. 17.

A detour will direct motorists to Interstate 55 and Illinois 53 (Bolingbrook Drive).

The work is expected to be complete by 3 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 25.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve more than 3,300 miles of highway and 8.4 million square feet of bridge deck as part of the Rebuild Illinois capital program, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Year One included approximately \$2.7 billion of improvements statewide on 1,706 miles of highway, 128 bridges and 228 additional safety improvements.

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